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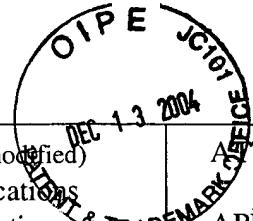
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### U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	EE1	6099832	08/08/2000	Mickle et al.			
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	EE3	99/03973	01/28/1999	WO			

### OTHER ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	EE4	International Preliminary Examination Report for PCT/02/16304 mailed July 15, 2004.

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